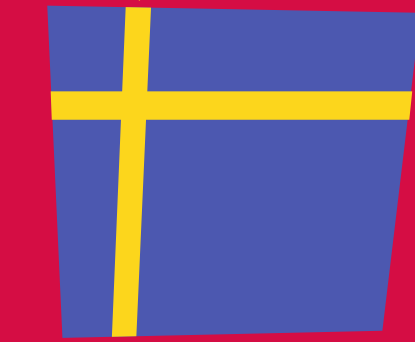


Give In Faith Today



G.I.F.T.

From Me to You  
For Others

**GIFT (Give In Faith Today)** is a mission of Christ Church to provide an **alternative to commercial gifts** for **ALL** gift-giving occasions **year-round**.

When you choose one of the gift options in this catalog, you will receive a personalized greeting card, with a design appropriate for the occasion, for you to give to the person(s) you are honoring.

(text example)

Merry Christmas, Grandma & Grandpa!  
A gift to Habitat for Humanity for  
supplies to build the  
next Christ Church home  
has been given in your honor  
by  
Steven, Jamie and Hazel

You can turn birthdays, anniversaries, holidays and other gift-giving occasions into opportunities to witness for Christ by helping others via your donations to people in need in our church, our community, our nation and our world. These gifts touch many hearts: the ones who give and receive the cards, and those who benefit from the donations. 100% of your donation goes to the mission you choose and is tax-deductible, subject to IRS rules. REMEMBER, you can also ask your family & friends to use this resource to honor you, too!!

**Please give as God moves you to give\***

- **How to order?** Orders may be placed online at [www.christchurchsl.org/GIFT](http://www.christchurchsl.org/GIFT), placed in the GIFT plastic bin above the mail slots in the church Work Room (behind the church office), or mailed to Christ Church. Cards will be available for pick-up at Christ Church generally within **2-3 days after receipt of your order**.
- **Need a Gift NOW?** On-the-Spot cards are pre-printed gift enclosures with a message similar to the message shown above but without the personalization. These are most suitable to insert into your own greeting cards/gifts and for those last-minute, "Oh, my gosh, I forgot" gifts. These are always available in the GIFT plastic bin above the mail slots in the church work room.

\* \$10 minimum please

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*If you need the gift immediately, have a special gift-giving need, or just have questions, please contact Debbie Straw at [Debbie.hardy.straw@gmail.com](mailto:Debbie.hardy.straw@gmail.com) or 281.980.2607.*

## Our Church's Missions

CC-110	<b>Angel Tree</b> - Provide Christmas joy to families in need, a nursing home and children with fathers in prison.
CC-105	<b>Disaster Relief</b> – Support Christ Church in any of our disaster outreach efforts.
DL-109	<b>Dream League</b> – Sponsor a physically &/or intellectually challenged youth, so they can enjoy playing baseball (cost for a full season \$100).
FB-202	<b>East Fort Bend Human Needs Ministry (FB)</b> - Assist with rent & utility costs.
FB-205	<b>FB</b> - Food Pantry - Feed a family (family of four for 4 days - full cost \$165).
FB-206	<b>FB</b> - Holiday food basket (full cost \$50).
CC-114	<b>Fort Bend Family Promise</b> - Food, shelter & support for homeless families in Fort Bend.
CC-116	<b>Garden Ministry</b> – Supplies for Christ Church's garden that feeds needy families.
CC-122	<b>Habitat for Humanity</b> - Paint, nails, wood, plumbing supplies, and more.
CC-123	<b>Hope for Haiti</b> - Support the church's missions to Haiti.
CC-124	<b>School Partnerships</b> - Help support Christ Church's partnership with FBISD schools.
CC-128	<b>Manna Bags</b> - Provide water, snacks, socks, and hygiene items to the homeless in the streets.
CC-132	<b>Meals on Wheels</b> - Daily delivery to homebound seniors in Fort Bend County.
CC-170	<b>Mexico Vacation Bible School</b> - Help purchase Bible literature, supplies and snacks.
CC-100	<b>Pastors' Resurrection Fund</b> - Used by our pastors to help those people in our church family that have fallen on hard times.
CC-160	<b>Restorative Justice</b> - Support for inmates, their families, correctional officers and ex-offenders.
CC-180	<b>Soles for Souls</b> - Help give new shoes to low-income local students.
CC-185	<b>Supply Our Students</b> – Provide NEW school supplies to low-income local students.
UM - 140	<b>United Methodist Women's Outreach</b> – Support UMW's Stop Human Trafficking programs and the Babies and Mothers Bonding Initiative (BAMBI) that keeps imprisoned mothers with their child.
CC-196	<b>Youth Mission Scholarships</b> – Help fund our students who otherwise couldn't go on a mission.
CC-190	<b>Youth Mission Tools/Supplies</b> - Purchase tools/supplies for student mission projects.

## Our Community

BO-213	<b>Bo's Place</b> - Offering free grief support for kids & families who have lost a parent or sibling.
CA-200	<b>Child Abuse Prevention - CASA</b> - Clothes & toys for abused & neglected children.
WC-194	<b>Cultivating Families</b> – Help foster and adopted families thrive (ex: \$50 will supply books needed for a family to receive a parenting class).
FB-210	<b><i>NEW - Fort Bend Cares - Provide Fort Bend County community non-profits with resources to meet the needs of disadvantaged children.</i></b>
FW-211	<b>Fort Bend Women's Center</b> - Help battered women & their children have a fresh start.
HH – 310	<b>Hoof Prints and Heart Beats</b> – Support free equine therapy for children/adults with special needs.
LC-215	<b>Life Center for the Homeless</b> - Help Houston's homeless receive shelter, a meal and hope at Pastor James' housing complex in North Houston.

## Our State and Our Nation

HH-230	<b>Home of Hope</b> – Provide sanctuary, education, therapy and vocational training to survivors of human trafficking.
MW-201	<b>Make-A-Wish Texas Gulf Coast</b> - Grant special wishes for critically ill children.
MC-225	<b>Methodist Children's Home</b> - Waco, TX - Feed a child for 5 days (full cost \$50).
UM-322	<b>United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR)</b> - " <b>United States Disaster Relief</b> " Provide supplies after natural catastrophes in USA.
WC-216	<b>Wesley Community Center</b> - Providing food and assistance since 1904 through early childhood education, youth and senior services.

## Our World

RE-236	<b>CASA Mami</b> - Provide much needed food for the girls or boys shelters in Reynosa.
HP-250	<b>Heifer Project Int'l (HP) - Heifer</b> – One heifer provides 4 gallons of milk a day and offspring (full cost \$500).
HP-251	<b>HP - Goat</b> – One goat provides 4 quarts of milk a day and offspring (full cost \$120).
HP-256	<b>HP – Flock of Chicks</b> - For eggs, fertilizer and protein (full cost \$20).
HP 257	<b>HP - Honeybees</b> – hive, bees and training for honey and beeswax production (full cost \$30).
LW-302	<b>Living Water Mission</b> - Living Water International helps communities in developing countries acquire safe drinking water by installing wells.
MA-300	<b>Maua Hospital</b> – Provide healthcare for pregnant women and young children in Kenya.
PK-304	<b>House of Peace</b> - Help this fledgling orphanage meet basic needs of food, shelter and clothing for children in Pakistan.
UG-301	<b>Uganda Counseling and Support Services</b> - Help transform a village with this holistic approach to self-sufficiency through clean water, education, counseling & spiritual care.
UG-303	<b><i>NEW - Uganda Counseling and Support Services – Educate a child in the village of Bulike, Uganda. \$25 for one month.</i></b>
HA – 305	<b>REBUILD Globally (RG)</b> – Help the RG organization end poverty in Haiti by providing job training & education so Haitians can be empowered and have the dignity of a living wage.
WV-260	<b>World Vision (WV)</b> – Economic Empowerment Fund to train and provide small loans.
WV-261	<b>WV</b> - Sewing machines for females in impoverished nations.
WV-263	<b>WV</b> - Treadle Pumps - foot-powered pumps for irrigation.
HA – 306	<b>Water to Life</b> – Provide a water filter that will give a family in Haiti clean water for ten years (full cost \$30).

## GIFT – Order Form

Donor's Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

**Computer lists, or LEGIBLE hand-written orders, are also welcomed.**

Gift #	Recipient(s): <small>Names(s) to appear on card (example: Aunt Jane for Birthday [or Christmas])</small>	Donor(s): <small>Name(s) to appear on card (example: Love, Bob &amp; Jo, or from The XXX Sunday School class, or ministry)</small>	Catalog # <small>and a brief description (to verify the intended gift)</small>	Amount(s) <small>(Minimum \$10 gift)</small>
#1	To:  Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$
#2	To:  Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$
#3	To:  Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$
#4	To:  Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$
#5	To:  Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$

**TOTAL: \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**For mailing birthday or memorial cards:**

Gift #	Full Name and Address for Mailing	Gift #	Full Name and Address for Mailing

\*Cards not to be mailed will generally be available for pick-up at the church within 2-3 days of order.

**PAY BY CHECK:**

- Send order & check to Christ Church, ATTN: GIFT, 3300 Austin Parkway, Sugar Land TX 77479.
- Or drop off in the GIFT plastic bin in the church office.
- Or contact Debbie Straw at [debbie.hardy.straw@gmail.com](mailto:debbie.hardy.straw@gmail.com) or 281.980.2607.

**PAY ONLINE:**

- Visit [www.christchurchsl.org/give](http://www.christchurchsl.org/give).
- Put TOTAL amount in and select "Missions Donations" in the drop-down, along with typing "GIFT" in the memo line.
- Insert payment information and press GIVE.